

Summer 2006

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By the time you read this newsletter you will have broken up from school and college and many, of us adults are either on holiday or counting down the days before we break up and drive off into the sun set for a well dissevered holiday.

But just to recap didn't we do well?

BEAVERS had a great day out in space! Part of their 20th birthday although Newport was lucky enough to have Beavers scouts before they became part of scouting. A big thank you to all the leaders and adults who worked so hard to ensure all had a great day.

CUBS – What a weekend – What a way to celebrate cubs 90th Birthday – Hot and dry [well almost] But that was something to do with some of the largest 'water guns' I have ever seen [One so big that the cubs could not lift it when full of water] Water rockets another chance to cool off. Canoeing, climbing and archery just a small number of many activities on offer to all! What an evening with a great camp fire followed by the loudest and best fire work display that could have been aloud outside national event! – Well done to all involved in making the camp so special and memorable for all!

SCOUTS - Enjoyed a great weekend at the all Wales Scout Camp with many activities again on offer.

EXPLORER SCOUTS - Were out and about working for the Queens and D of E Awards plus a trip on water!?

Mayors Parade, a big thank you to all who attended on what was a special day for our City. It was great to be out and about in the public eye, and it all helps when asking for support.

All of the above could not have happen without YOU the adult supporter either as uniformed leaders or parents working hard together to make difference to the young people of our communities. Thank you all.

I was able to support my wife and draughter during the 'Race for life' what a great mornings work. May be next year we might have a number of female members who would like to support this important charity? {Polly might even open his wallet!!! Edd}

I must say sorry for those adults who are still waiting to get the adult training adviser you where told about, but we are in the middle of changing our 'Training Manger' I hope the service will be up and running by the autumn sorry again. I know you will be very pleased with your new manger. A big thank you goes to Rob for all the hard work he has put in, and I am very confident the good work which Rob did with be built on.

So just before I squeeze in to my summer swim wear [NO let's not go there] Can I wish you all a great summer break. I look forward to charging my battery ready for the restart of Scouting. So I will be off line until September as I will be away [so if the weather does change from the hottest to the wettest August then you know I am away].

Polly